THE LEGAL STATUS

Of General Otis in Philippines According to the Protocol.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—The author-

ities of the state and war departments

were in consultation to-day on the legal

status of General Otis in view of the

protocol which binds the American forces to maintain the status quo in

the Philippines till after the ratifica-

tion of the treaty by Spain and the United States. The fact that the treaty

must be ratified by both parties to the

contract was momentarily lost sight of

by many persons yesterday in the first

flush of excitement over its ratification

by the senate and it was commonly re-

marked by many officers and others in

the department that Philippines "now

being American territory," General Otis

was at liberty to handle the Filipinos

as he would an Indian outbreak or a

railroad riot. The fact, however, is that

the Philippines do not become Ameri-

can territory till after the treaty has been ratified by the Spanish cortes. This

Sold Dust.

Mrs. Arthur Lee, Ex-Senator Henry G. Davis' Daughter.

THE FIRST AMERICAN WOMAN

To Meet Dewey After his Famous Victory-She Arrives in Washington from her Bridal Trip Around the World, Bearing Messages from the Admiral to President McKinley. Dewcy Would Like to Staty at Manila to see the Situation to its Finish.

Washington disputch to the New York Journal: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lee, of New York, have arrived here on their wedding trip around the world. A week ago was published the statement that Mrs. Lee was the bearer of important dispatches from Admiral Dewey to the President and to Congress. These dispatches, it was stated, she was to present in person upon her arrival in Washington. They were to the effect that immediate action was to be urged in regard to having Dewey made a full admiral. In view of the developments of the last few days at Manila, the timeliness of Mrs. Lee's communication is only too apparent. The reasons for raising Dewey's rank was succinctly given in home letters from Mrs. Lee to her family in Washington and were to the effect that Admiral Dewey was subjected to untold annoy ance from having to make first calls upon naval vessels entering the harbor to take second place at table on state occasions, and to move his vessels about the harbor at the command of the foreign officers who outranked him, This was particularly obnoxious in the case of the Germans, on account of the attitude taken by them during the war.

This was a week ago. To-day Mr. and Mrs. Lee arrived in Washington, having come direct from San Francisco withouly a day's stop at Chicago. Mrs. Lee, in an exclusive interview with the Journal, gives the whole stbry.

Mrs. Lee is the daughter of ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, of West Virginia; sister-in-law of Senator Elkins, and cousin of Senator Gorman. So it can be readily seen that back of the bill introduced a few days ago for the promotion of Admiral Dewey there lies a pretty little story in which this charming young wife figures.
"Is it true that I am Admiral Dewey's

ambassador to the President and Congress, and that I bear important dispatches from him to Congress? Well, unless you can call me a self-consti-tuted one, I cannot lay claim to that great honor. The way the matter stands is this:

"Mr. Lee and I arrived in Manila on the 10th of December and were there for six days, during which time, thanks to our old friend, Rear Admiral Dewey we had an altogether delightful time. The flagship Olympia is anchored out in the harbor at Manila, ten miles by water and seventeen miles by land, so that it was impossible for us to steam a march and surprise Admiral Dewey That being the case I wrote a note something after this fashion: 'We have come thus far, dear admiral-now you must come the remainder of the way to

"I did not realize it was possible for the note to have reached the flagship before the answer came back by one of the sailors, who was instructed to await our pleasure. In accordance with the request we named the time, the next morning, when we would accept his invitation to breakfast aboard the Olympia, and were rowed down by the sailors detailed for that purpose. It was quite a charming little affair, that breakfast, and the admiral's reception was cordiality itself. His manner was was cordiality itself. His manner was quiet, as usual, and full of the quaint humor that characterizes him when

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impossible to dress him for three years. His head and body were a mass of sores, and his eyesight also became affected. No treatment was spared that we thought would relieve him, but he graw worsel until his condition was indeed pittable. I had aimost despaired of his ever being oured, when

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ing well. Wood-Wheat in good condition; un-

injured. Wirt-Wheat in good condition; very

slight damage. Ritchie-Wheat outlook fairly good;

no damage.

Doddridge—Wheat in good condition;
short; good stand; healthy color; late
sown in only fair condition.

Harrison — Wheat promising and
shove givenge.

bove average.

Barbour—Wheat looking very well;

short growth of late sown wheat.
Tucker-Winter wheat in good condi-

tion and promising.
Randolph-Wheat crop in good condi-

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New York Tribune: The effort to

make a Washington or a Bolivar out of

Aguinaldo encounters the obstacle that he has twice sold out his country, and twice backed out of his bargain as soon

as the purchase money was safe in his hands. No doubt he is in the class of

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All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he wauld die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnics Salve, the surcest Pile cure on Earth, and the best Salve in the World. 25 cents a box, Sold by Logan Drug Co., druggist.

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o damage.

that was given up by two of the best doctors in Brooklyn. I had given up myself; as I had tried so many things, I believed nothing would ever do me any good. But, thanks to your medicine, I am now well and strong; in fact, another person entirely."

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or not we should hold them? Ah," with an amused laugh at the recollection doubtless of her own efforts to draw him out on this qustion. "You know Admiral Dewey is discretion itself. He simply would say nothing whatever on the subject.

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"Admiral Dewey did not ask to me to see that he was raised to the rank of a full admiral. That was my own idea based upon what I saw and heard from the officers in Manila. He is far too shy and retiring a man to make any request whatever of the government. The subject came up at the breakfast on the Olympia, when several of the officers spoke of the embarrassments to which Admiral Dewey has been from time to time subjected on this score, and, indeed, to which he must be as long as his advancement is deferred. "It was after this talk with the officers and from personal observations of some things that I wrote home to my father, stating the facts, and asking him to use his own influence, together with that of Senator Elkins and Senator Gorman to have Admiral Dewey made a full admiral at once. That, I presume, is how the rumor got about that I am the bearer of important dispatches to the President.

"Just here, in this connection, it will be of interest to mention what Admiral Von Diederich, in command of the German fleet, said.
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Kong when I was told the story by a
friend to whom he made the remark,
and who at the time I heard it was my
booties?

had who at the time I heard It was my hostess.

"After expatiating in unstinted terms on his admiration of Admiral Dewey as a man and an officer, Admiral Von Diederich said: "The German government has made a diplomatic error in sending to Manila a man who outranks the commander of the blockading squadron."

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"That was an admission well worthy of note. One to be taken hold of and digested by the American people.

"Admiral Dewey told me that he has been but twice, I think to Manila. His duties keep him very closely confined to his ship, and to Cavite, off which she is anchored. You can have no idea of the incessant demands upon his time. Just before I left he was being worried by the question of Chinese immigration. The Chinese are pouring into Manila in hordes, under the impression or hope that they can thus be recognized as American citizens. It was upon this subject that the United States consul came from Amoy to discuss the question at the time of my stay in Manila.
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both the army and navy at the Philippines. The natives speak of him with
hated breath, as of a personage almost
omnipotent. He is, in fact, the one
person of whom they really stand in

quiet, as usual, and full of the quaint himor thist characterizes him when among friends. He said mine was the first feminine face from home he had seen since he arrived in Manila, and we had, of course, no end of things and people to talk about.

"During the evening there was a dance in our honor aboard the Olympia, where the accessories of flowers, lights and fags made a seene truly ideal.

"Admiral Dewey is looking well; has, I think, gained considerable in avoir-dupois—yes, now that I think of It—be did send a message that may truly be considered in the light of one to the President, to Congress and the entire country. It was this:

"I am deeply interested in the situation, and I hope to be allowed to remain here, and see it through to the faish."

"Did he have anything to say in regard to the Philippines—us to whether the situation of the insurgents is omnipotent. He is, in fact, the one person of whom they really stand in awe.

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"This faction is diligently at work all the time, skilfully misrepresenting every word the insurgents after with regard to the United States, and vice versa. Thus the report that Aguinado had sent word to Admiral Dewey that if he did not move the American fleet he would blow up every vessel in the harbor, was a fabrication from beginning to end. It is such things as this with which Admiral Dewey has to contend, and the tension upon his contend, and the tension upon his nerves can be better imagined than de-

and honorable methods receive their just reward. So many cases are cropping up that it is next to impossible to investigate them all, but we have taken a few in hand and give them publicity for the benefit of our readers. Our representative obtained the following statement of facts in a personal interview. They are true in every particular, and no stronger evidence can be obtained from home endorsement.

Mrs. E. Bonena, of No. 62 Eleventh street, says; "I was troubled with weak kidneys more or less nearly all my life, but it was only of recent years that it seemed to have become chronic. There was continual dull, worrying pains across my kidneys, attacks of instammatory rheumatism when I caught cold or in changeable weather. The different remedies I tried failed to give me more than temporary reltef, and I thought I would try Doan's Kidney Pills, so I got a box at the Logan Drug Company. My back at the time was troubling me a great deal, but the first few dozes helped me and in a short time all traces of the complaint disappeared. I highly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills in all like cases."

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"To his friends in Washington and the East generally, the admiral bade me give all manner of kindly messages, repeating in farewell what I have already told you: I am deeply interested in the situation, and hope to be through to the end.

"In this I am convinced he was perfectly sincere, as he was fond of the Phillipplines, and from all I could see or hear-would be quite content to stay there indefinitely.

"This is all, except for me to reiterate the hope that the American people will unite to help the promotion of Admiral Dewey as speedily as possible, for the good not, only of the admiral, but for the honor and standing of the American nation."

WINTER WHEAT

In West Virginia - Growing Cereau Reported in Excellent Condition.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 7 .-Following is the condition of winter wheat in West Virginia:

Jefferson-Wheat in good healthy condition, no injury from severe weath-

hands. No doubt he is in the class of the Irish patriot who, accused of selling out his country, thanked God that he had a country to sell out. So far as its commercial availability is concerned the Filiphno patriot evidently does not re-gard his own as exhausted and if not still in the market waiting for another offer, all symptoms go for nothing. Berkeley-Wheat looking well, especially on low ground; in some localities badly damaged by wet weather; wheat got a good start in fall, Morgan-Freezing and thawing; very

trying on cereals, not looking well as a rule; very little snow protection.

Hampshire—Wheat, except late sown, looks well; some damaged from freez-

ioons well; some damaged from freez-ing.

Mineral-Not in promising condition, but stands remarkably well, and prom-ises an average cop.

Hardy-In variable condition; some fields damaged from wet weather; oth-

will not hamper General Otis in main-taining order and following up his victory of Saturday and Sunday. It was said at the state department to-day that while the Amelcans are still bound by the protocol there is noting in that document to prevent the American commander from maintaining order in the islands, and he is in fact compelled by the terms of the protocol to do so. In carrying out this obligation he is not confined to Manila or to any other region, but may extend his lines wherever necessary to preserve order and prevent the reassembling and further preparation of any persons who have violated the peace agreement or who are pre-paring to do so again. This political statement of the legal authorities of the department was supplemented by the brusque remark of one ers in good condition; short, but of good

of the army officers, who was a party ers in good condition; short, but of good color.

Grant—Wheat has a good stool; blade green, showing healthy growth; croppornising where properly sown.

Pendleton—Wheat short, but otherwise in good condition; damaged by freezing and thawing to some extent.

Brooke—Wheat in fine condition.

Ohlo—Winter wheat in very good condition; little damage done.

Hancock—Wheat in good condition; little damage done.

Preston—Winter wheat looking well.

Taylor—Wheat in variable condition; generally Icoks well.

Monongalia—Wheat in good condition; protected well by snow.

Tyler—Wheat in good condition; some slight damage from freezing.

Pleasants—Wheat growing and looking well.

Wood—Wheat in good condition; some slight damage from freezing. to the conference, that "General Otis jurisdiction extends beyond his outposts, 1,900 yards, with the sights up, wherever he happens to be,"

The decision regarding the protocol and the status quo in the Philippines, it is said, applies also to the case of Aguinellio and his agents in this coun try and in Canada. They are not citizens of the United States in rebellion whatever else they may be. As a matter of fact they are not giving the administration much concern and are not receiving any particular attention beyond being kept under surveillance by the secret service men, so that hands can be laid on them whenever they are wanted. This latter contingency applies only to the very lonely Filipinos remaining in Washington, one sick and both very badly scared.

Aso to Agoncillo's statement in Montreal that he had gone there because he could communicate better with his friends around Manila, it was pointed out to-day by the authorities having control of the wires that Agoncillo will be no better off in Montreal than he was here, as the Manila censor will take care of anything filed from him there, although he, of course, can communicate with his friends in Hong Kong.

DREYFUS CASE.

The Criminal Section of Court of Cassation has Closed its Sittings.

Handolph—Wheat crop in good condition.

Upshur—Condition variable, owing to late seeding; slight damage.

Lewis—Wheat well fertilized, standing winter well; some slight damage.

Glimer, Calhoun, Roane and Jackson—Wheat looking well and in good condition; well protected by snow; some damage on undrained lands.

Wayne—Wheat looks poor, owing to slight protection by snow, and freezing. Cabell, Putnam, Kanawha—Early sown looking well; late sown damaged by freezing and thawing and insufficient snow protection.

Braxton, Webster, Pocahontas—Wheat looking well; stooling nicely; drill sown wheat stood winter well.

Greenbrier, Fayette, Boone—Wheat, owing to late planting, had poor start, not looking well; damaged from freezing and thawing considerably.

Wyoming, Raleigh, Summers, Monroe, Mercer—Early sown wheat in fair condition; late sown injured considerably by freezing and thawing.

Summary for West Virginia—Wheat fair growth over pan-handle and northern sections; blades short, green, and healthy; some damage from freezing and thawing, but drop generally well rooted and in good condition; snow afforded good protection during severe weather; early sown and drilled wheat in good condition over southern section; late sown poor and considerably damaged from alternate freezing and thawing and slight snow protection.

THE TALK OF THE CITY. PARIS, Feb. 7.-The criminal section of the court of cassation has concluded its inquiry into the Dreyfus trial and formally declared it closed at to-day's sitting.

It will now refer the whole matter, with the new light developed during the inquiry, to the prosecutor general, who will be required to report his opinion to the criminal section of the court of cassation, which will pronounce a decision unless the government's revision bill is adopted, in which case

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matter will go before the united courts of cassation instead of before the crim-

inal section alone. SENATOR JOHN KEAN, JR.

He is a Bachelor, a Millionaire, and a Senator from New Jersey.

Senator Kean is the eldest son of a family of nine children, only two of whom have married. Both of these are girls, one being a cousin by mar



riage to Governor Roosevelt, of New York, and the other Mrs. George Reeves wife of the assistant secretary of state under President Cleveland.

Mr. Kean is forty-seven years of age, having first seen the light on Decem-

mansions in the United States. It is

ber 4, 1852, in one of the most historia

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ber 4. 1852, in one of the most historic mansions in the United States. It is situated in Ursino, and within its walls General Washington held many conferences. Alexander Hamilton also studied law there.

When a young boy Mr. Kean was sent to a boarding school in Stockbridge, Mass., and was transferred from there to a private cacdemy at Sing Sing, on the Hudson, where he received a very much higher education than was necessary for him to enter Yale College, which he did in 1872. He afterward took a course in the Columbia College Law School, and was admitted to the bar in New Jersey in 1877.

Mr. Kean was elected to Congress in 1882 and again in 1886. All New Jersey still remembers the tireless canvass of the state which Mr. Kean made when he ran for governor in 1892, when he was defeated by George T. Werts. Senator Kean is president of the National State-Bank of Elizabeth, N. J., and a director in the Elizabethort Banking Company. He is also president of the Elizabethot water and Gaslight Companies, and holds the largest interests in the Elizabeth Street Hallway concern.

He is a member of several clubs, both in New Jersey and New York, and is fond of athjeties. Besides his historic Jersey home. Senator Kean is president of the Sizabeth Street Hallway concern.

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